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Georgetown, Guyana

April 12, 1978

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Honorable Philip Burton
11104 Federal Building
450 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, Cal. 94102

Dear Congressman Burton:

I refer to your memorandum of March 13, 1978 to the Secretary of State concerning a request by your constituent [redacted] for assistance in contacting his sons who are members of the People's Temple organization in Guyana.

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Our Consul had replied to [redacted] on March 10, 1978 in response to a similar inquiry. Essentially, there is little the Embassy can do except notify the Rozynko boys that their father wishes to see them. Both [redacted] sons are adults aged 22 and 20, and unless they are willing to meet their father we cannot legally or officially force them to do so.

If [redacted] decides to travel to Guyana to attempt to meet with his sons he should contact our Consul Richard McCoy who will be pleased to offer all appropriate assistance.

Sincerely,

John R. Burke
Ambassador

Enc: Enclosed correspondence: [redacted]